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Note verbale dated 18 July 2002 from the Permanent Mission of Germany to the United Nations addressed to the Chairman of the Committee

The Permanent Mission of Germany to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1343 (2001) concerning Liberia and, in relation to his notes verbales dated 7 June and 27 August 2001 and 30 May 2002 and pursuant to paragraph 15 of Security Council resolution 1408 (2002) in which the Security Council requested all States that have not yet reported pursuant to paragraph 18 of resolution 1343 (2001) to report to the Committee within 90 days on the steps they have taken to implement the measures referred to in paragraph 5 of Security Council resolution 1408 (2002), Germany has the honour to inform him of the following:

Until recently restrictive measures against Liberia as imposed by Security Council resolution 1408 (2002) were implemented through European Council regulation No. 1146/2001, of 11 June 2001. This regulation is no longer in force since 8 May 2002. With the adoption of its common position 2002/457/CFSP of 13 June 2002 concerning restrictive measures against Liberia, the Council of the European Union endorsed all the measures imposed by the Security Council in resolution 1408 (2002). A draft regulation by the European Commission regarding this matter is already on the agenda of the Council and will soon be enacted. As a member State of the European Union, Germany is bound by the above-mentioned common position and regulation. The regulation will be directly applicable in all the member States, including Germany. As soon as a new regulation regarding this matter is in force, Germany will give notice thereof to the Security Council Committee.

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